

Bicycling Questionnaire

The City of Fort Worth is developing a citywide, comprehensive bicycle transportation plan. This plan will set policies, inventory existing bicycle facilities and establish guidelines for future bicycling improvements. Your opinions and views are important to us. Please complete the short questionnaire below.

Your answers are anonymous.



1. How often of	do you ride a bicycle for fu	ın, recreation or exerc	ise?				
	One time per week or mo	ore	What is the average distance of these trips?				
	One time per month		miles (round-trip)				
	Less than 10 times per year						
	Never						
2. Which of the	e following do you <i>use the</i>	most when you ride a	bicycle to work or school? (CHECK ONE)				
	Roads						
	Roads signed and/or marked as Bike Routes						
	Bike Lanes (striped lane dedicated to bicycles on roadways)						
	Off-street trails (e.g., Trinity Trails, other bike paths shared with pedestrians and other users)						
	Sidewalks						
	Do Not Ride/Other	Describe:					
3. How often d	o you ride a bicycle to wo l	rk or school?					
	One time per week or mo	ore	What is the average distance of these trips?				
	One time per month		miles (round-trip)				
	Less than 10 times per y	ear					
	Never						



4. What *personal and environmental factors* limit you from bicycling more often?

Factor	Not	a facto)r>>>>	Rating	>>>> V	ery important
Physical (health)		1				5
My bicycle needs repairs		1	C 2	3	2 4	C 5
Don't know how to ride a bicycle		1	□ 2			C 5
Don't own/have access to a bicycle		1			C 4	5
Don't enjoy physical activity		1		□ 3	□ 4	D 5
Concerned about personal appearance		1	C 2		C 4	C 5
Inattentive or aggressive drivers		1		□ 3	L 4	C 5
Lack of shower/dressing facilities at destinations		1			C 4	C 5
Concerned about personal security (personal assault, crime)		1		□ 3	2 4	C 5
Concerned about bicycle theft		1	C 2	□ ₃	2 4	5
Need a car for my job		1	□ 2			C 5
Not enough daylight		1	2	3	4	5
Weather conditions		1	□ 2			C 5
Terrain (steep hills)		1	□ 2	□ 3	4	5
Other:		1				C 5



5. What *transportation system factors* limit you from bicycling more often?

Factor	Not	a facto)r > > >	Rating	· > > > V	ery im	nportant
Crossing barriers (freeways, rivers, etc.)		1		□ 3			5
Route/lane/path ends abruptly (not continuous)	0	1			C ₄		5
Not enough off-street multi-use paths		1			2 4		5
Not enough on-street bicycle routes/lanes		1	C 2	3	C 4		5
No good bicycle routes to my destinations		1					5
Distance/time to ride bicycle to destinations		1		3	C ₄		5
Poor maintenance of roads or bicycle paths (gravel, potholes, etc.)		1					5
Lack of secure bike storage/parking		1		□ 3	C 4		5
Bicycle rack on FWTA bus is full		1					5
Poor transit connections		1			C 4		5
Speed of motor vehicles		1					5
Number of motor vehicles		1	C 2	3	C 4		5
Narrow roadway lanes		1	2 2		C 4		5
Other:		1					5



6. What encourages or would encourage you to bicycle more often?

Factor	Not a fac	tor > > > >	Rating	>>>>>	/ery important
New off-street, multi-use paths	a 1				□ 5
Wider outside lanes on roadways		C 2	3	C 4	5
Construct more roadway shoulders	E 1		2 3		□ 5
More streets striped with bike lanes		2	3	C 4	5
More bridges across highways and rivers			2 3		E 5
Better access to FWTA bus/TRE rail stops/stations			3	C 4	□ ₅
Better maintenance of the bicycle system				C 4	C 5
Better links to or between routes/lanes/trails	□ 1		□ 3		□ 5
Better maps		C 2	3	C 4	5
More streets signed as bicycle routes					□ ₅
Slow down traffic				C ₄	□ ₅
Provide showers and lockers at work, etc	□ 1		□ 3	C 4	□ 5
More bicycle racks/lockers at destination		□ ₂	3	C 4	□ ₅
Education on bicycle safety and how to ride a bicycle effectively				C 4	C 5
Stronger enforcement of traffic violations by motorists	□ 1				□ ₅
Stronger enforcement of traffic violations by bicyclists			□ ₃	C 4	□ ₅
High gas prices		□ 2	D 3		□ ₅
Other:					C 5



7. Transit Questions	3:
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A. How often do you use the Fort Worth Transportation Authority (The T) Transit System or the Trinity Rail Express (TRE) commuter rail? (CHECK ONE)							
☐ Daily							
☐ Weekly							
☐ Monthly							
Less than 10 times per year							
☐ Never							
B. Have you ever traveled with your bicycle on a FWTA bus or TRE commuter rail?							
☐ Yes							
□ No							
☐ Didn't know I could.							
C. Have you ever parked your bicycle at a FWTA bus station, TRE commuter rail station or park-n-ride?							
□ Yes							
No							
Optional Questions:							
A. What is your home ZIP code?							
B. What is your age?							
years old							
C. What is your gender?							
Female Male							
8. What specific neighborhoods or locations in the City do you think need bicycling improvements, and what kind of improvements (continue on reverse if necessary)?							



For more information, or to send or fax in a completed questionnaire, contact:

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Other comments on bicycling in Fort Worth or the upcoming citywide bicycle transportation plan?								